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Re the Application of:

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For: AN ARCHITECTURE FOR A DEVICE FOR

WINDING AN ELECTRIC ENERGY STORAGE

ASSEMBLY

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Respectfully submitted,

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